

**RUSHVILLE CITY BOARD OF PUBLIC WORKS AND SAFETY  
TUESDAY MARCH 16, 2004  
5:30 P.M.**

The Rushville City Board of Public Works and Safety met on the above date and time at 270 W 15th Street, Rushville, Indiana. Mayor Bridges called the meeting to order at 5:35 p.m., with Mike Pavey answering roll call. Chris Fields was not present. Also present were City Attorney, Tracy Newhouse, Jan Voiles, *Rushville Republican*, and Scott Murray, WKWH.

**MINUTES \* \* \***

Minutes of the March 2, 2004 meeting were presented for approval. Pavey made a motion to approve the minutes as presented. Bridges seconded the motion. Motion carried.

**MAYOR'S REPORT \* \* \***

None.

**DEPARTMENT HEAD REPORTS \* \* \***

**Street – 635 West 10<sup>th</sup> Street** – Bennett has started the process of getting the utilities disconnected. This should be completed by the 22<sup>nd</sup> of March. Bennett has called to price the rental of equipment for the demolition. The cheapest he has found for the excavator is \$1,350.00 for a week.

Bennett requested permission to hire summer help. Pavey made a motion to hire Gary Spilman for summer employment beginning March 22, at a rate of \$8.50 per hour. Bridges seconded the motion. Motion carried.

**CITIZENS CONCERNS \* \* \***

None.

**UNFINISHED BUSINESS \* \* \***

**Porter Advertising Agreement** – The agreement for billboards for Porter Advertising was presented for approval. Pavey said he did not think the City wanted to get into the billboard business and suggested referring the matter to Council.

**Approval of Grant Administrator CFF Grant** – Bridges reviewed Ara's application, which was the only one received. Bridges recommended to accept Ara as the grant administrator. Pavey seconded the motion. Motion carried.

**NEW BUSINESS \* \* \***

**Hawks Receptacle Agreement** – Bennett said the receptacles are used quite a bit. Pavey made a motion to approve the agreement. Bridges seconded the motion. Motion carried.

**Durbin Apartment Bids** – Mayor Bridges said he has received word from the owner of the Durbin that he has retracted his offer and he does not want to give the building back to the community. Therefore the bids were not opened.

There being no further business to come before the Board, Pavey made a motion to adjourn. Bridges seconded the motion. The meeting adjourned at 6:00 p.m.

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ROBERT M. BRIDGES, MAYOR

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CHRISTOPHER S. FIELDS, MEMBER

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MICHAEL P. PAVEY, MEMBER

ATTEST:

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ANN L. COPLEY, CLERK-TREASURER